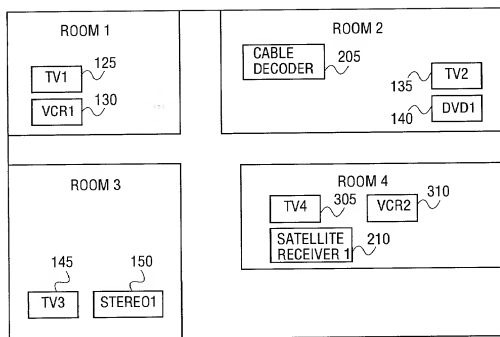


FIG. 1

The diagram shows a central block labeled "URC" (200) at the bottom. Dashed lines connect it to several input devices arranged in three rows above it. The top row contains "TV1" (125), "TV2" (135), and "TV3" (145). The middle row contains "VCR1" (130), "DVD1" (140), and "STEREO1" (150). The bottom row contains "CABLE1 DECODER" (205) and "SATELLITE RECEIVER1" (210). Each device is represented by a rectangular box with its label and a reference numeral to its right.



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FIG. 3

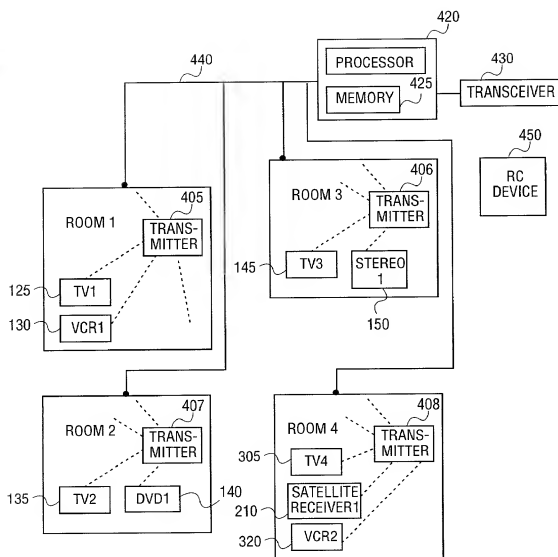


FIG. 4

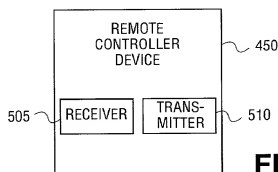


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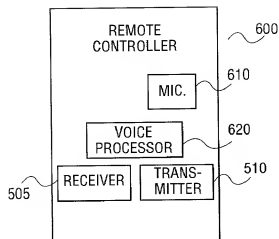


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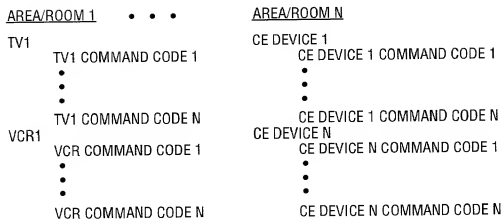


FIG. 7

LOCATION 1	LOCATION N
USER 1	USER 1
FAVORITE SEQUENCE 1	FAVORITE SEQUENCE 1
TV1 ON	STEREO ON
VCR1 OFF	VOLUME 6/10
VOLUME 5/10	CHANNEL 967
FAVORITE SEQUENCE 2	TV ON
TV1 ON	CHANNEL 00
VCR1 ON	SATELLITE RECEIVER ON
VOLUME 6/10	CHANNEL 39
:	:
FAVORITE SEQUENCE N	FAVORITE SEQUENCE N
TV1 OFF	STEREO OFF
VCR OFF	TV OFF
:	SATELLITE RECEIVER OFF
:	:
USER N	USER N
FAVORITE SEQUENCE 1	FAVORITE SEQUENCE 1
TV1 ON	SATELLITE RECEIVER ON
VCR1 ON	CHANNEL 39
CHANNEL 5	TV ON
VOLUME 3/10	CHANNEL 00
:	STEREO OFF
:	:
FAVORITE SEQUENCE N	FAVORITE SEQUENCE N
TV1 OFF	STEREO OFF
VCR OFF	TV OFF
	SATELLITE RECEIVER OFF

FIG. 8

LOCATION 1	...	LOCATION N
USER 1		USER 1
RESTRICTIONS		RESTRICTIONS
TV1 ACCESS DENIED 3PM-7PM		TV1 ACCESS DENIED 7PM-6AM
CHANNEL ACCESS 00-28 OK		CHANNEL ACCESS 29-300 DENIED
CHANNEL ACCESS 29-300 DENIED		CHANNEL ACCESS 00-28 OK
VCR ACCESS DENIED 3PM-7PM		DVD ACCESS DENIED
USER 2		⋮
RESTRICTIONS		USER N
NONE		RESTRICTIONS
⋮		ALL DEVICES DENIED
USER N		
RESTRICTIONS		
NONE		

FIG. 9

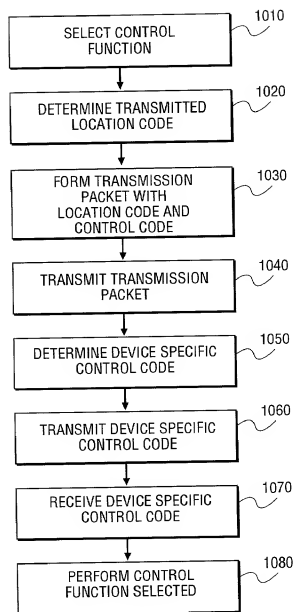


FIG. 10

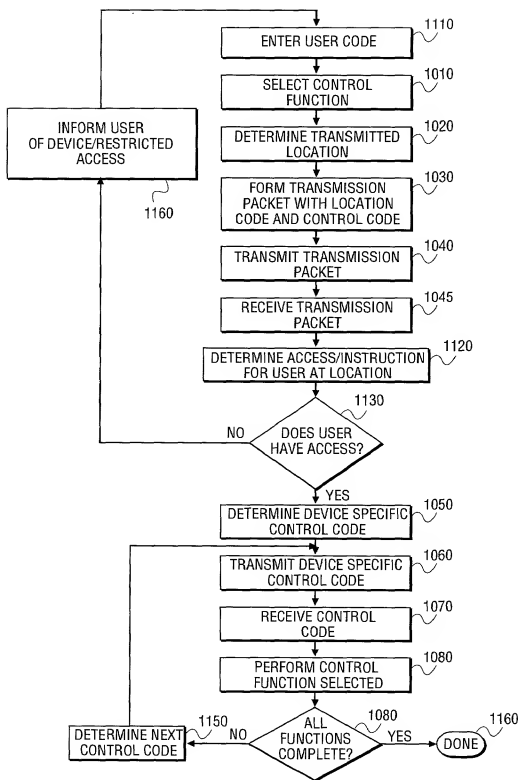


FIG. 11